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To: Marx, Joshua A NWK

Subject: A fair and equitable study is needed

Dear Mr. Marx,

I work for a company that allows it's agent to hire the auditor who audits its books. This is not in this company's best interest and if the BOD had any sense, they would look for an independent auditor themselves. I feel this is the same thing with allowing BNSF to pay consultants. This study should be a true and independent study of the situation.

I am requesting that the Army Corps of Engineers reevaluate the permit for BNSF's intermodal facility in Johnson County with a full Environmental Impact Statement. The Environmental Assessment submitted is insufficient in its analysis of the true impact of this project on Johnson County, the surrounding counties, Kansas City and particularly the Hillsdale Watershed. The Corps' analysis has been too dependent on analysis from environmental consultants paid by BNSF. There needs to be an independent Environmental Impact Statement not controlled by BNSF.

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